



IDAHO BIRDING TRAIL

Southeast Region

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40 Mud Lake Wildlife Management Area

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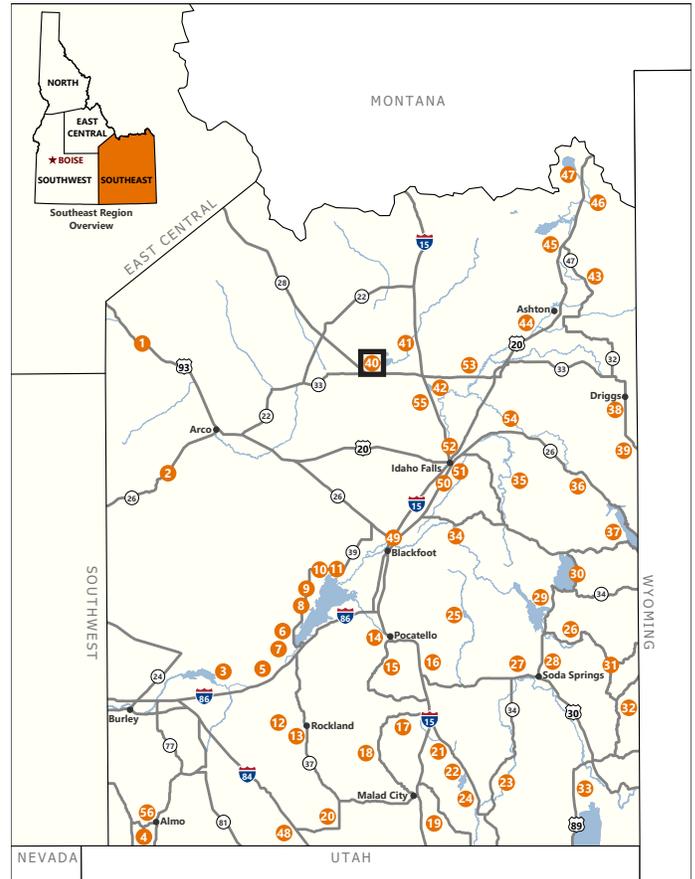


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DIRECTIONS: I-15 Exit #143; W 7 mi on ID 33; R (N) at mp 51.7 on 1800 E; in 1.8 mi, the rd forks; take L fork and continue N; at 3 mi, just after crossing Camas Ck, turn (W) onto E 1800 N; travel 0.2 mi to 1775 E/N Lake Refuge Rd and turn RN; travel another mile to E 1900 N; turn (W) and travel past 1750 E to Mud Lake WMA's east entrance.

March and April are excellent times to view large numbers of Snow and Canada Geese, Tundra and Trumpeter Swans, and many duck species. Franklin's Gull, White-faced Ibis, and Double-crested Cormorant all nest colonially on the WMA. During spring and summer, common species include Western, Pied-billed, and Eared Grebes, Willet, American Coot, Ruddy Duck, Mallard, Canvasback, Gadwall, Northern Pintail, Bufflehead, Cinnamon, Green-winged and Blue-winged Teal, American Wigeon, Lesser Scaup, Ring-billed and California Gulls, Black-headed Grosbeak, Bullock's Oriole, Eastern and Western Kingbirds, Western Wood-Pewee, Western Tanager, Yellow Warbler, and Great Horned and Short-eared Owls. Songbird and shorebird numbers peak in May and common migrants include Wilson's and MacGillivray's Warblers, Black-necked Stilt, American Avocet, Willet, Long-billed Curlew, Spotted, Western, Least, Baird's, and Pectoral Sandpipers, Long-billed Dowitcher, and Wilson's Phalarope. In winter, look for Bald and Golden Eagles, Peregrine Falcon, Rough-legged Hawk, and Northern Goshawk. Greater Sage-Grouse and Gray Partridge can be seen year-round.



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